

Support for Teaching Assistants

Focusing on providing effective support to the class teacher in a thoughtful, proactive and self-initiating manner, the course also covers strategies for taking the whole class as a substitute teacher. Participants will develop a better understanding of how students learn and will gather practical strategies to use in the classroom.

Brooke Weston Teaching School was established in 2011 after being one of the first hundred schools in the country to be granted Teaching School status. We have forged partnerships with professionals across the East Midlands, ranging from primary through to higher education providers.

Why choose us?

Brooke Weston is rated as Outstanding by OFSTED and has a longstanding commitment to and experience of supporting the professional development of teachers and leaders.

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Programme information:

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▶ Who would benefit from this course?

Experienced and new teaching assistants and anyone who supports learning in a school, including those who work as volunteers in classrooms.

▶ What will it cover?

- The professional additional adult – roles and behaviours.
- Supporting the teacher in planning learning activities.
- Supporting learning – not giving the answer.
- Developing students' independent learning skills.
- Differentiating planned activities to meet the needs of your group.
- Supporting the delivery of learning activities.
- Supporting the teacher in the evaluation of learning activities.
- Assessing students as they listen to teacher input.
- Best practice from peers from a range of schools and backgrounds.
- Managing a class, teaching them and supporting their progress.

▶ Why attend?

- Understand and identify the needs of the learner.
- Develop strategies for developing students' learning skills.
- Find out how to use your time well to complement the teacher's role.
- Discover planning to meet the needs of individual students.
- Learn about teaching a group or whole class.
- Develop a better understanding of how students learn and gather practical strategies to take back to use in the classroom.

Cost:	£195 + VAT, for non Alliance
Venue	Brooke Weston Teaching School, Corby, Northants NN18 8LA
Date and time:	Tuesday 14th June – 09:30 - 15:30

